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Gary, Aaron

From: Gary, Aaron
Sent: Thursday, June 11, 2009 11:52 AM
To: Runde, Al
Subject: RE: Amendment request e-mail #5

Al,

I don't get the comment - "We also like to get the exact same language but creating a Fox Valley RTA."
The attachment (gov's bill) is nothing like the Fox Valley RTA I drafted - which do they want drafted up?

Aaron

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From: Runde, Al
Sent: Thursday, June 11, 2009 11:36 AM
To: Gary, Aaron
Subject: FW: Amendment request e-mail #5

These are in.

Al

From: Ammerman, Fred
Sent: Thursday, June 11, 2009 9:31 AM
To: Runde, Al
Subject: FW: Amendment request e-mail #5

From: Lundquist, Lisa
Sent: Thursday, June 11, 2009 9:28 AM
To: Ammerman, Fred
Subject: Amendment request e-mail #5

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This amendment creates a Chippewa Valley RTA

We also like to get the exact same language but creating a Fox Valley RTA

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Also:

<< File: 20090611011459306.pdf >>

And:

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Assembly Democrats **2009-11 Budget Amendment Request**

Date: June 5, 2009

Legislator: Rep. Bernard Schaber

Staff Contact: Stephanie Wilson

Statement of Amendment Intent: Reinstate RTA for Fox Valley Area as provided in Governor Doyle's Budget. Additionally, we would like the RTA to go to referendum before imposing a sales tax.

Agency: Transportation

Summary: Assuming no changes in federal regulations, once in the 2010 census figures are released, Valley Transit could lose up to \$1.5 million in federal operating funds. If local municipalities that pay for Valley Transit service through property taxes were to absorb the loss, it would mean a 70% increase in the costs just to maintain existing transit services. This would also be a disaster for every transit system in the state, because when the Fox Cities loses federal operating assistance, the limited state dollars available to transit systems—both urban and rural—would be divided among more systems, and everyone would get less.

We are asking that a Fox Cities RTA be formed to preserve the system we have. Even without the added financial burden caused by the potential loss of federal operating support, our local municipalities and counties can no longer support transit systems exclusively with property taxes.

The formation of a Fox Cities RTA would provide stability, greater efficiencies and better planning for public transportation in the Fox Cities. Currently, our system only allows planning to our community by community which is inefficient. The formation of a Fox Cities RTA would provide the ability to plan regionally and design routes based on demand, travel patterns and demographics to truly meet the needs of the community it serves. An RTA would bring financial and operational stability back to the public transit in the Fox Valley.

The number of people who rely on public transportation to get to their jobs, school, medical facilities and other essential functions is growing every day. We must find a way to plan for the future and develop a system that meets the needs of those who depend on us most and those who have a choice. By doing so, the Fox Cities will experience economic and environmental benefits that outweigh the financial investment, creating a community that is stronger for riders and non-riders alike.

We have the support of Valley Transit, Appleton Chamber of Commerce, Appleton's Mayor, and many local elected officials.

Fiscal Impact:

Funding Source (if applicable):

Gary, Aaron

To: Runde, Al
Subject: RE: Fox Valley RTA

From: Runde, Al
Sent: Thursday, June 11, 2009 12:06 PM
To: Gary, Aaron
Subject: FW: Fox Valley RTA

This is what they want regarding the FV RTA.

Al

From: Lundquist, Lisa
Sent: Thursday, June 11, 2009 11:57 AM
To: Runde, Al
Subject: Fox Valley RTA

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ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT ,
TO ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1,
TO 2009 ASSEMBLY BILL 75

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4 authority, a public body corporate and politic and a separate governmental entity, is
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6 Winnebago each adopt a resolution authorizing that county to become a member of
7 the authority and each resolution is ratified by the electors at a referendum held in
8 each county. Once created, this authority shall consist of the counties of Outagamie,
9 Calumet, and Winnebago and any municipality located in whole or in part within
10 these counties. Once created, this authority may transact business and exercise any
11 powers granted to it under this section.

1 2. The jurisdictional area of the authority created under this subsection is the
2 combined territorial boundaries of the counties of Outagamie, Calumet, and
3 Winnebago.”.

4 **2.** Page 724, line 5: after that line insert:

5 “(e) 1. If an authority is created under sub. (2) (d), the board of directors of the
6 authority shall be determined by resolution of the governing bodies of the counties
7 of Outagamie, Calumet, and Winnebago, except that all of the following shall apply:

8 a. The board of directors shall consist of not more than 17 members.

9 b. The board of directors shall include at least 2 members each from the
10 counties of Outagamie, Calumet, and Winnebago, appointed by the county executive
11 and approved by the county board.

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13 Appleton, appointed by the mayor and approved by the common council.

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15 jurisdictional area, appointed by the governor.

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17 Winnebago are unable to agree upon a composition of the board of directors as
18 specified in subd. 1., the board of directors of the authority shall be limited to the
19 minimum members specified in subd. 1. b. to d.”.

20 **3.** Page 724, line 12: after that line insert:

21 “4. The composition of the board of directors of the authority, as determined
22 under par. (e).”.

23 **4.** Page 1828, line 6: after that line insert:

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2 length of terms specified for members of the board of directors of the Fox Valley
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6 of the statutes, as created by this act.

7 2. One of the members appointed under section 66.1039 (3) (e) 1. c. of the
8 statutes, as created by this act, if applicable.”.

9 (END)



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d. The board of directors shall include at least one member from the most populous city of each county that is a member, appointed by the mayor of the city and approved by the common council of the city.

e. The board of directors shall include at least one member from the authority's jurisdictional area, appointed by the governor.

2. If Chippewa County joins the authority as provided in sub. (2) (c) 3. and the governing bodies of Eau Claire County and Chippewa County are unable to agree upon a composition of the board of directors as specified in subd. 1., the board of directors of the authority shall be limited to the minimum members specified in subd. 1. b. to e.”.

3. Page 724, line 12: after that line insert:

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“d. Notwithstanding subd. 1., an authority created under sub. (2) ^d may not impose the taxes authorized under subd. 1. unless the authorizing resolution under sub. (2) ^d 1. ^e and, if applicable, sub. (2) (c) 3^e as well as the referendum question on the referendum ballot specified in sub. (2) ^d 1. ^e and, if applicable, sub. (2) (c) 3^e, clearly identifies the maximum rate of the taxes that may be imposed by the authority under subd. 1.”.

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5. Page 734, line 22: before “joined” insert “becomes a member of an authority under sub. (2) (c) 4. shall withdraw from the authority if the county in which the municipality is located withdraws from the authority under this subsection and a participating political subdivision that”.

Gary, Aaron

From: Runde, Al
Sent: Thursday, June 11, 2009 7:35 PM
To: Gary, Aaron
Subject: FW: LRB Draft: 09b0968/2 Fox Valley regional transit authority
Attachments: 09b0968/2

One change to this draft is needed. Page 3 line 15 after act, delete if applicable.

Al

From: Henry, Patty
Sent: Thursday, June 11, 2009 7:27 PM
To: Runde, Al
Cc: Ammerman, Fred; Hanaman, Cathlene; Holten, Vicki
Subject: LRB Draft: 09b0968/2 Fox Valley regional transit authority

Following is the PDF version of draft 09b0968/2.

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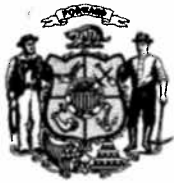
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